



Case No. WAKAB70.003AUS
Date: August 31, 2005

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of : Kazuo SHOJI, et al.
App. No. : 10/642,952
For : PROCESS FOR PRODUCING
DIMETHYL ETHER
Filed : August 18, 2003
Examiner : Rosalynd Ann Keys
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